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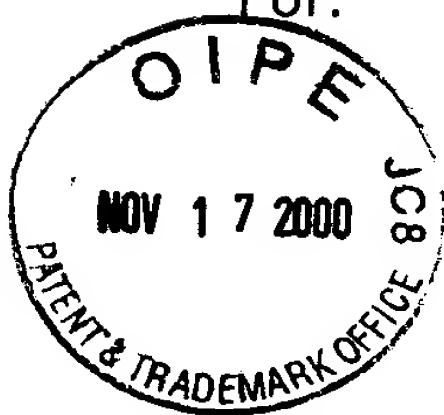
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: MICHEAL L. GRUENBERG

Serial No.: 09/127,138

Filed: July 31, 1998

For: AUTOLOGOUS IMMUNE CELL
THERAPY: CELL
COMPOSITIONS, METHODS
AND APPLICATIONS TO
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Examiner: Schwadran, R.

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Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in Response to the Office Action, mailed May 15, 2000, and a check for the fee for a three month extension of time. If a Petition for extension of time is needed, this paper is to be considered such Petition.

Extension fee for response within the third month:

(X) By a small entity.....\$445.00.



The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee for the extension of time and any other fee that may be due in connection with this and the attached papers or with this application during its entire pendency to Deposit Account No. 50-1213. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,
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AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action, mailed May 15, 2000, please amend the
above-captioned application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the specification as follows:

at page 1, lines 12-13, replace "at 4250 Executive Square, 7th Floor La Jolla,
CA 92037so" with —also—;

at page 11, line 10, after "cells. " replace "he" with —The—;

at page 12, line 2, replace "sytemically" with —systemically—;

at page 23, line 7, delete "of" after "includes";

at page 23, line 12, delete "of" before "a multitude";

at page 28, line 14, replace "relulatory" with —regulatory—;

at page 28, line 18, replace "enchancing" with —enhancing—;

at page 37, line 5, delete the first "volume of";

NE at page 38, line 11, replace "surafce" with —surface—;